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**Subject:** RE: Final Sampling Protocol and Detection level - Carolyn Street  
**Date:** Thursday, January 26, 2017 8:55:56 AM  
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Good morning Jhana,

I have a few questions for you and/or your contractors concerning the sample collection methodology under OSHA Method 1003 for Phosphine Gas

- 1) Is there a optimal temperature?
- 2) Is there an optimal height of the floor?
- 3) How much square footage can the sample results be applied to or cover?

Thanks

Shaun



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Thanks Shaun



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I see. Ok, I will consult with Dr. Milton.

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Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 25, 2017, at 5:15 PM, Enders, Jhana <[Enders.Jhana@epa.gov](mailto:Enders.Jhana@epa.gov)> wrote:

We monitored at multiple locations as there was no specific guidance given. Would like a recommendation from the group to ensure we are accurately addressing any concerns you might have. Thanks.

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My assumption is that they would be the same number and the same locations that were used during the air monitoring phase as we are conducting confirmatory sampling. I would certainly defer to any recommendations from Dr. Milton, Dr. Bojes, and Dr. Turner. However, if specific numbers and locations were not used each time during the monitoring phase, then we will need obviously need to determine numbers and locations.

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Ok, need just a little more info...how many samples and where do you want them collected from? Thanks.

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**Importance:** High

Good morning everyone,

Dr. Milton, myself, Dr. Bojes, and Dr. Turner discussed final confirmation sampling for Carolyn Street yesterday afternoon. Dr. Bojes and Dr. Turner presented their recommendation for the detection level and methodology for confirmation sampling. Their recommendation to Dr. Milton was to use the OSHA Method 1003 for Phosphine Gas. The detection level for this method is 10 ppb or 13 µg/m<sup>3</sup>. Dr. Milton has agreed to proceed with the recommendation. Dr. Turner will be coordinating with Jhana and the contractors under her supervision. At this time, we do not have an exact time estimate on the delivery of the sampling cassettes or their arrival on-site here in Amarillo. It is our understanding that Jhana, with support from Dr. Turner, will be overseeing the confirmation sampling protocol.

I have attached a link to the sampling protocol for reference -

<https://www.osha.gov/dts/sltc/methods/mdt/mdt1003/1003.html>

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Additionally, I have spoken with Dr. Milton and he approves dropping the 24-security detail for the property/home provided that the gate to the property can be locked/secured along with the home being secured/locked.

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